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I currently time-shift television broadcasts for personal viewing on a regular basis. Imposition of a broadcast flag will limit my ability to do this in the future, and thus DTV will have no place in my household. I will not pay more for devices that limit my rights at the behest of Hollywood.

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